Healthcare Organization Commitment

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APSS

Have you reviewed the Patient Safety Movement Foundation's Actionable Patient Safety Solutions (APSS)?
Yes

What Patient Safety Challenge does your Commitment address?
Commitment Name
Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México- Patient Safety Curriculum

Commitment Details

Commitment Summary
We are committed as an institution to strengthen our role in clinical care through patient safety management and its full integration into the teaching process. We consider simulation a critical component for strengthening our student’s preparation in clinical practice. Simulation is applied for various domains of patient safety at the undergraduate and postgraduate levels.

Action Plan
Simulation is a component of our curriculum during the first four years in preparation for clinical internship. It reinforces clinical education with an emphasis on patient safety. At the postgraduate level, simulation is used for clinical and surgical training on a needs-be basis with a continuous supervision and assessment process. Facultad de Medicina- UNAM, aligned with patient safety through simulation, initiated an International Simulation Conference in 2017 called SIMex (Simulation México). Its objective is to bring together medical education and health institutions, both public and private, national and international to promote, share and enrich related knowledge and experience. We have found this event to create opportunities for new and experienced simulation programs alike. -- Continual integration process of the eight domains throughout the curriculum. • A progressive review and tracking of PSMF’s 8 domains within our medical curriculum. • Design clinical cases for simulation practices • Design and apply checklists for each domain. • Integrate and summate checklist elements into routine assessments • Reinforce teacher training on PSMF’s 8 domains. • Teacher/teacher training on use of simulation in PSMF’s 8 domains as an experiential activity.